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tion and consumption of steam power

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whether it is done with some pleasant The Federal Supreme Bench Sweeps Down Barriers.

IMMUNITY PLEA IS IN VAIN

Cornerations Must Give Incriminating Evidence - Tobacco Trust Beaten-Paper Trust Also Loses Its Case -Officers in Contempt-Tobacco and Paper Men Must Appear and Testify

Washington, D. C .- In four decisions handed down the Supreme Court utters a doctrine of tremendous importance in the anti-trust proceedings of the near future. The refuge of reluctant witnesses hitherto found in the Constitution, in equity jurisprudence, and in the common law-the principle that "no man can be forced frage convention in Baltimore. to incriminate himself"-is denied to trusts.

Books, papers, contracts, secret agreements must be produced when called for, whatever the effect upon the trust before the bar or upon its officers.

The immunity law passed by Congress, protecting witnesses under the Anti-Trust act, is construed to mean that only the individual witness shall receive its benefits, and that he is not excused from testifying against his corporation or the officers thereof. Neither can the trusts withhold their

books and papers on the ground that

to publish their business secrets would

be to injure them materially. These sweeping decisions are the outgrowth of a Grand Jury inquiry into the Tobacco Trust in New York and a civil suit against the Paper Wisconsin and Minnesota Officers of companies composing the two trusts had refused to produce their books or to answer questions concerning their alleged conspiracy to control commerce. They declared that the Constitution relieved them

They discovered that it does not. The tobacco cases were decided first, and furnished the authority for the Paper Trust decisions. In the Tobacco Trust cases the opinion was written by Justice Brown, who is soon to retire from the bench. In the paper cases Justice McKenna wrote the opinion, and cite 1 Justice Brown's decision by way of precedent.

from having to give such testimony.

In the tobacco cases the defendants refused to produce their books before a Grand Jury which was after the facts concerning their alleged conspiracy. In the paper cases they refused to produce their books before an examiner who was trying to take testimony On every issue they have lock and apparently there is no refuge for a trust at any stage of a proceeding between the Crand Jury and the Circuit Court. The tobacco case, the case of Hale

vs. Henkel, was decided adversely to the trust by even to two, the dissent ing members being Chief Justice Fuller ...d Justice Brewer. Justices Harlan and McKenna concurred only in the result. The Paper Trust cases were decided unanimously.

CHICAGO WINS VICTORY.

Supreme Court Holds 99-Year Act Doesn't Extend Privileges.

Chicago - By the decision of the United States Supreme Court the city of Chicago obtains almost complete control of the local traction situation. Contracts or ordinances of the city limiting the use of the streets by the companies are upheld, and the rights of the association in Washington. f the companies in the streets are held to expire according to the expressed terms of the ordinances. In its effect the decision leaves the Union Traction Company without any right ing women, and hearings before comwhatever other than by sufferance in mittees of practically every Congress the streets of the north division of the city. It leaves the Union Traction Company in the west division without rights, excepting where the ordinances contain a purchase clause.

The decision leaves the Chicago City Railway Company, which operates all the street car lines on the south side of the city, without right, excepting where their ordinances contain a purchase clause.

CHURCH MOBS USE SULPHUR.

Barricades and Lime Also Greet Gendarmes in Provinces.

Paris, France.-Serious rioting occurred at several provincial towns in the course of the inventorying of church property nnder the law providing for the separation of church and At Boeschepe, near Dunkirk, a manifestant was shot dead and the Government Commissioner was wound-

Churches at Bressuire, Belfort and Charleville were strongly barricaded and crowded with demonstrators, who prevented the making of inventories by burning sulphur and throwing lime in the faces of the gendarmes.

ROOT TO RUN THE CANAL.

Will Take Panama Job When Taft Goes to Supreme Bench.

Washington, D. C .- President Roosevelt has found a way of lessening the Cabinet problem presented by the selection of Secretary Taft for appointment to the Supreme Court bench by deciding to transfer the Panama Canal work to the State Department when Taft ceases to be Secretary of War. In putting the canal into the hands of Secretary Root, Mr. Roosevelt will be taking a step that will be highly satisfactory to Chairman Shonts of the Canal Commission.

Lawyer Arrested For Jury Fixing. Ambrose B. McCabe, a lawyer for the Metropolitan Street Railway Com-Judge Scabury's investigation of alleged bribery of jurors in New York

Relief For French Mine Victims In the French Chamber of Deputies it was voted to appropriate \$100,000 Miners' Association voted \$40,000 more.

Labor World. Over one hundred union men went on strike on the new Hotel Dennis

contract, at Atlantic Ci., N. J. The Queensland (Australia) trade unions registered under the act had a total membership of 5278 at the end

Glass factories in the Steubenville Ohio, district were threatened with a temporary shut down Jecause of a lack of employes.

The weekly wage of more than half, 585.84, which, with interest, was due of the male workers of sixteen years, to the State for furnishing equipments and over in Hangary average from for troops from the State in the war \$2.03 to \$4.16.

SUSAN B. ANTHONY DEAD

The Famous Woman Suffragist Expires in Rochester, N. Y.

Began as a School Teacher, Became Laterested in the Questions of Temperance and Suffrage.

Rochester, N. Y .- Miss Susan B. Anthony died at 12.40 o'clock a. m. The end came peacefully. Miss Authory had been unconscious practically all of the time for more than twentyfour hours, and her death had been almost momentarily expected since last week. Only her wonderful constitution kept her alive.

Dr. M. S. Ricker, her attending physician, said Miss Anthony died heart disease and pneumonia of both

lungs. Miss Anthony was taken ill while on. her way home from the National Sufstopped in New York, where an banquet was to be given February 20 in honor of her eighty-sixth birthday, but she had an attack of neuralgia on February 18 and hastened home. Pneumonia developed after her arrival here, and on March 5 both lungs became affected. She rallied, but had a relapse, and the end after that never was in doubt.

Susan Brownell Anthony was a pioneer leader of the cause of woman suffrage, and her energy was tireless in working for what she considered to be the best interests of womankind.

Miss Anthony possessed a figure of medium size, a firm but rather pleasing face, clear hazel eyes, and dark hair which she always wore combed smoothly over the ears and bound in a coil at the back. She paid much attention to dress and advised those associated in the movement for woman suffrage to be punctilious in all matters pertaining to the toilet. For a little over a year in the early fifties she wore a bloomer costume, consisting of a short skirt and a pair of Turkish trousers gathered at the ankles. So great an outcry arose against the innovation both from the pulpit and the press that she was subjected to many indignities, and forced to abandon it.

Miss Anthony was born at South Adams, Mass., on February 15, 1820. Daniel Anthony, her father, a liberal Quaker, was a cotton manufacturer. At seventeen she received a dollar a reek with board by teaching in a private family, and the next summer a district school engaged her for \$1.50 a week and "boarded her round." continued to teach until 1852, when she found her taste for this profession entirely gone.

Miss Anthony's active participation in the movement for woman suffrage started in the fifties. As early as 1854 she arranged conventions throughout the State and annually bombarded the Legislature with messages and

appeals. In company with Mrs. Stanton and Lucy Stone, Miss Anthony went to Kansas in 1867, and there obtained 9000 votes in favor of woman suffrage. In order to test the application of the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments she cast ballots in the State and Congressional election in Rochester in 1872. She was indicted and ordered to

pay a fine, but the order was never enforced. Miss Anthony succeeded Mrs. Stanton as President of the National Woman Suffrage Association in 1892, Mrs. Stanton having resigned because of old age. This office she held until February. 1899, her farewell address meeting For a number of years she averaged 100 lectures a year. She engaged in eight different State campaigns for a Constitutional amendment enfranchis-

since 1869 were granted to her. INDIANS TRAP U. S. MARSHALS.

Indian Territory the Scene of an Outbreak by Full Blood Redskins.

Vinita, Indian Territory.-Six deputy United States marshals were ambushed near Kansas, Indian Territory, by the Wickliffe gang of desperadoes and three of the officers were killed outright.

The ambuscade was laid on Saline Creek, in the Spavinaw Hills. 'The deputies who were killed were I. L. Gilstrap, Oris Little and Dick Carey. The Wickliffes, who are full blood Indians, are only three in number, but they were assisted by practically the entire full blood population of the dis-

trict. The region where the killing took place is mountainous, and the officers were caught in a trap from which escape appeared impossible, but they fought desperately. Three of their number quickly went down and all six of their horses were killed.

The surviving officers, replying as best they could to the fire of the desperadoes, ran to the shelter of trees and rocks. One of them made his way to the town of Kansas, nine miles away, and sent word to United States Marshal W. H. Darrough, who began preparations for running the Indians

The Wickliffes constitute what is probably the last band of outlaws in Indian Territory. The other full bloods assist them because all the Indians are out of money and are suffering, Government regulations having tied up their supplies.

German Forces Leave China. Emperor William ordered the with drawal of German forces from China leaving, however, seven hundred mer

as guards for the legation at Pekin. President of Argentina Dead. The State Department, Washington D. C., was informed of the death of

pany, was arrested in connection with Dr. Manuel Quintana, President of Argentina. The news came from Minister Beaupre, at Buenos Ayres. Dr. Quintana was serving a six-year term having been elected in 1904.

Sure Evidence of Prosperity. National prosperity is evinced by for the relief of the victims of the the various State reports showing mine disaster at Courrieres, and the noteworthy gains in savings bank de-

Patrick Respited.

Governor Higgins, of New York, granted Albert 1. Patrick, the condemned murderer of William M. Rice, a further respite until May 18. This is a postponement of the date of execution from March 19, os a delay of sixty days.

New York's Outlay in 1812 War Paid. The State of New York received from the National Government \$188,-

DIE AS BIG SHIP SINKS

Part of British King's Crew Saved Amid Storm.

HEROIC EFFORTS OF RESCUERS

Phoenix Liner, Overcome by Atlantic Hurricane, Founders Off Sable Island-Cantain Succumbs to Injuries-With Broken Leg He Stuck to His Post -Terrible Sufferings in Storm Battle.

Boston, Mass.-With her flags at half mast the Leyland Line steamship Bostonian reached port with sixteen survivors of the British steamship British King, which foundered about 700 miles east of Boston, while on a voyage from New York to Antwerp.

Reposing in a wooden box draped with the Union Jack, on the starboard side of the deck, was the body of Captain James O'Hagan, of the British King, who died on board the Bostonian of injuries sustained during the storm that sent his vessel to the bottom. Somewhere off Cape Sable the bodies

of twenty-eight seamen are drifting about in a mass of wreckage, many of them with life belts strapped about Either ten or eleven other men were

saved from the sinking craft by the

German tank steamer Manheim.

The British King sailed from New York, bound for Antwerp with a miscellaneous cargo and 150 head of cattle. The passage was uneventful until the ship was struck by a strong northwesterly wind, which gradually grew into a gale. The hatches were battened down and Captain O'Hagan prepared for a bad storm. Suddenly the gale developed into a hurricane and the deck fittings of the steamer were carried away.

The water, which had been gradually roughening, now moved in huge billows, and these broke over the deck of the steamer, unloosed the fastenings of her deck cargo of oil barrels and cast them into the sea. Later some of the hatches were torn open, and great volumes of water flowed into the ship's compartments, putting out her fires and making her engines useless. Realizing the necessity of quick ac-

tion Captain O'Hagan bimself went into the hold and strove to repair the most damaged sections.

It was while doing this that a barrel of oil fractured one of his legs in two places. In spite of this injury and in-ternal hurts caused by his fall, Captain O'Hagan refused to be carried to his rabin. He ordered that his leg be hound up and resumed command and directed the efforts which were being made to plug up the hole in the ship's But the Captain's efforts to repair his ship were fruitless. The water gained continually, and all hands were forced to take refuge on the main deck. The cattle were swept overboard gradually by the seas and drowned.

At the end of three days, when all hands had labored ceaselessly without rest and with little food, the Bostonian and Manheim were sighted, and to these Captain O'Hagan displayed the signal for assistance.

When the first lifeboat was lowered from the Bostonian the small craft was swent against the stern of the big ship and destroyed and several of the seamen were injured. Yet, despite the boisterous condition of the sea, the volunteers were rescued by lines thrown out from their steamer.

Another attempt to reach the sinking ship was successful, and thirteen men, including Captain O'Hagan, were taken from the British King to the Bos-Then again a nowerful billow carried the lifeboat against the side of the ship and destroyed it and the lifesavers were thrown into the sea, to be rescued only after an hour's effort by their comrades.

Volunteers from the Manheim, after heroic battle with the waves, had taken off eleven from the British King, but after this neither of the steamers, in conesquence of the increasing gale, could make an attempt to reach the foundering freighter. Moreover, darkness fell and it was an utter impossibility to do anything but wait for the moonlight to guide them to the stricken ship. In the darkness the British King, which was then waterlogged and helpless, plunged down bow first and was

Fifty-six men, including a stowaway. were on board the British King, and twenty-seven of these perished in their ship.

NO RACETRACK BETTING.

The New Hampshire Supreme Court Makes Adverse Ruling. Concord, N. H. - That making book and poolselling at the new racecourse

of the New England Breeders' Club, at Salem, N. H., would be a violation of the law and punishable by criminal as well as civil action is the decision of the Supreme Court, returned in reply to an inquiry submitted to it by Governor John McLane

The decision of the New Hampshire Supreme Court on two sections of the act incorporating the club, which were copied from the New York racetrack law, is opposed to the New York Supreme Court, which passed upon those sections some years ago.
Andrew Miller is President of the

New England Breeders' Club, and the track has been built at a cost of close o \$1,000,000. The enterprise was financed largely by New York men.

Discussing Rate Question. The railroad rate question was dis-

ussed in the Senate, Washington, by Messrs. Rayner, Knox, Aldrich, Lodge, pooner, Dolliver, Tillman and others, most of the speakers favoring a court review provision. Peasants Seize Estates.

With the advance of spring there are symptoms of a reappearance of agrarian troubles in Russia. In a number of places in Stavropol Province the peasants are refusing to plow the land for the proprietors, and reports from other provinces show that the peasants are boldly seizing and sowing the estates of the land owners.

Hired to Kill Parkhurst. Two men made affidavit in New York City that they were hired by policemen to kill Dr. Parkhurst.

Prominent People.

Foon Chook, a naturalized Chinaman in Mexico, is said to be a millionaire. Congressman Sullivan, of Boston. has announced his intention not to run again for Congress.

John Malone, who died suddenly the other day in New York, was widely known as an actor, but more especially as a student of Shakespeare.

Premier is of Jewish extraction.

M. Thiery, the famous automobile racer, has left the firm with which he has been connected, and will shortly commence manufacturing automobiles my's losses, without including Port Ar on his own account. Baron Sonnino, the new Italian

NOWANTON DESTRUCTION

Gen. Wood Admits That Women and Children Were Slain at Jolo.

Wives of Moros Dressed in Male Attire, and the American Soldiers

Were Unable to Differentiate.

Manila, Philippine Islands. - Major-General Wood, who has arrived here, announces that he assumes full responsibility for the extermination of the Moros at Dajo Hill, near Jolo. He says there was no wanton destruction of women and children, though many

of them were killed by force of neces-

sity because the Moros used them as

shields in the hand-to-hand fighting.

Many of the women wore male attire

and fought desperately, so that their

sex could not be distinguished. The priests had worked the Moros to a religious frenzy. "Neither in this nor any other fight has an American soldier killed a woman or child except in a close action, when it was impossible to distinguish

sex." says General Wood. "Those Moros were absolute fanat-The men of the hospital corps were in constant danger while trying to minister to the native wounded. Moros would feign death and slash at the ambulance men and surgeons with their knives. When our men were climbing up the mountain just below the summit many of the fanatics leaped headlong from the edge of the crater upon the Americans. Some of them succeeded in seizing soldiers in a death grip and rolling with them down

the precipice.
"Women fought alongside the men, and many were necessarily killed. Some of the men, holding children before them as shields, plunged into our bayonets and slashed the Americans with their bolos until it was impossible to segregate the inhuman enemy I'regret the killing of women and children, but it was unavoidable.

"The majority of our casualties were caused by spears and krises. After the fight commenced it was impossible to prevent the annihilation of the Moros. Surrender they scorned. Even on the operating table some of the wounded fought the surgeons. The island is now

Secretary Taft had cabled for a full explanation of the killing of women and children, and General Wood has sent a reply of which the foregoing is the substance.

RAVAGES OF VOLCANO. Samoan Village Destroyed - Lava

Flowing Into Sea.

Honolulu, Hawaii.-The officers of the steamer Sierra, which has arrived here from Sydney, New South Wales, by way of Samoa, report that the eruption of the volcano on the Island of Savaii, of the Samoan group, continues. Three villages have been completely destroyed, including Malaeola, which had the finest cocoa plantation on the island. The homes of A. King and G. Barkeley have been reduced to ruins. The lava from the volcano is flowing into the ocean in a stream three-quarters of a mile wide and twenty deep at the rate of twenty feet an hour. At night a line of molten lava five miles long can be seen reaching far out into the sea. For some distance ahead the sea water is boiling, and the surf breaking over the fiery stream makes a wonderful picture. The Government recently chartered the steamer Maori to remove women and children from the zone of danger.

The officers say that there has been no communication with Tahiti since the recent disastrous hurricane.

IOWA TO PROBE BRIBERY.

House Asks Governor to Substantiate Sensational Charges. Des Moines, Iowa.-The House, by a vote of 73 to 6, passed the Gilliland resolution calling upon Governor Cummins to substantiate his charges that railroad influence was used to defeat the Primary Election bill. The amendment providing for a committee of investigation was voted down and the Governor will now be asked to prove

the charges he made in his letter accepting the third-term nomination. The Governor charged that the railroads were using every power money or influence could direct, and intimated that members of the Legislature had been influenced. He promises now to make sensational disclosures regarding the work of the lobbyists in the State. and his friends in the Legislature obtained the passage of the resolution.

GOVERNMENT TO MAKE POWDER Patents Issued to Naval Officers Held

to Belong to the Country. Washington, D. C .- The Senate Committee on Appropriations has added an amendment to the Fortifications Appropriation bill providing for a Government powder factory. developed that the patents on the particular kind of powder used by the Government were owned by the socalled Powder Trust.

After hearing General Crozier and other officers, it was determined that as these patents were issued to officers of the Navy, the Government had a right to use them, but private part could not do so, and, therefore, amendment for a powder factory v... incorporated in the bill.

Drops Dead in Courtroom. State Attorney Solomon Luca, New London County, dropped dead at Norwich, Conn., in the Superior Court room as he was talking over the George Gleason murder case.

Standard Oil Defiant. The Standard Oil Company notified Attorney-General Hadley, of Missouri. that it would only give information about its business that it was com-

pelled to give.

Pray For Radical Pastor. At a special meeting of the congregation of the People's Church, Omaha, Neb., prayers were offered for the Rev. T. J. Mackay, the Episcopalian clergyman who is advocating the keeping epen of saloons on Sunday.

Elections in Maine.

Augusta. Maine's capital city, which has been Republican every year, with a single exception, since it became a city, was captured by the Democrats, the Republicans retaining only one ward. In Bangor the Democratic Mayor, who had only a few votes to apare a year ago, was elected by 800 majority.

Russian Army Lost 151,000 Men. The Invalid, a military organ, now sums up the total of the Russian ar-

thm; as 151,000 killed, wounded and

MINE DISASTER FRENCH

Over a Thousand Colliers Perish at Pas de Calais.

FLAMES FOLLOW AN EXPLOSION

Attempts at Rescue Given Up, Galleries Having Fallen in-Answering Appeals For Aid, Rescuers Lose Their Lives-Force Their Way Into Shafts Filled With Polsonous Gases.

Paris. - A mining catastrophe involving the loss of over 1000 lives has stricken the great coal centre of Northern France. An explosion of firedamp at 7 o'clock a. m. carried death and destruction throughout the network of coal mines centred at Courriers; and fire followed the explosion, making rescues almost impossible.

All France has been profoundly shocked by the magnitude of the disaster, which is said to be the greatest in the history of Continental mining. President Fallieres sent his secre-

tary, accompanied by M. Gauthier, the Minister of Public Works, and M. Dubief, the Minister of the Interior, on a special train to the scene of the disasmountainous mining region near Lens. in the Department of Pas de Calais.

productive coal mines in France. The subterranean chambers form a series of tunnels. Six of the outlets are near Lens, and others are at Courriers, Verdun and many other points. The catastrophe occurred shortly after 1795 men had descended into the mines in the morning. There was a deafening explosion, which was followed by the cages and mining appara-

mine office was torn off. Immediately following the explosion flames burst from the mouth of the pit, driving back those without who sought to enter and dooming those within.

The death list stands at 1100. The

tragedy has brought sorrow to 6000, Cathers, mothers, wives and children. The vast mortuary camp a under

For the time being the mine building has been transformed into a mortuary chamber, and all about in it lie the carhonized and almost unrecognizable bodies of miners which were taken there as they were brought up from the mine. Stricken relatives arrive at the mine building from time to time, searching for missing members of their families, and indescribable scenes of

ones. Heartrending scenes, too, are witnessed about the mouth of Pit 4, where, in the presence of Ministers Dubief and Gauthier, the bands of rescuers are contin ally descending and returning with bodies. Women with children in their arms attempt to break through the cordon of troops, which form a lane through which the body bearers proceed to the mortuary chamber. nearly every case the body is terribly lacerated. Only one-half of the bodies

Mayor of Seattle by 15 Votes.

Scattle, Wash. - William Hickman Moore, Municipal Ownership candidate for Mayor, was elected on a platform pledged to municipal ownership of public utilities, by a majority of 15. The vote was: Moore, S490; Riplinger, 8475. 3500, and has always, since it foundation, had a Republican Mayor. Moore proposes to build in outlying sections of the city a street car system to meet the present cystem owned by Stone &

The charter amendment submitted to the voters providing that no fran-chise for street car purposes shall be granted in the future that does not contain a clause providing that the city, have joint use of the tracks on payment of half the cost of construction and maintenance and also containing a provision for acquisition of the line in entirety by the city at any time it sees fit, was carried by a large majority. The cost is to be fixed by a board of arbitration.

Mexico Accumulating Gold. Mexico has accumulated \$58,000.000 in gold in the last three months, and of this amount she has converted into coin through the Philadelphia mint \$20,000,000.

as ever, and the probability that a gen eral coal strike may be avoided after all lends strength to industry of al

kinds

Lends Strength to Industry.

Winter wheat crop reports are as good

Editor Murders Rival Editor E. L. Stuckey, the editor of a pape called The People's Demands, at Col fax, La., was shot four times and in stantly killed by Alfred M. Goodwyn son and assistant of H. G. Goodwyn of the Colfax Chronicle. The shooting was the outcome of a battle of vitu peration which the two editors have

Relief For Meridian Sufferers. The relief fund for the tornado suf ferers at Meridian, Miss., has reached

Women of the Hour.

Mrs. Schuyler Crowninsheld, wife of the admiral, has written several stories, Miss Amanda Clement, of Hudson, S. D., is not only an all-around athlete, but is the only female umpire of professional ball games.

The produce is sold and everything done on a commercial basis. Mrs. Jemima Luke, who wrote the

hymn, "I think when . read that sweet story of old," died recently in the Isla of 'Vicut, a her ninety-first year.

The scene of the catastrophe is the

Here are huddled small hamlets of the mine workers, who operate the most

lus being hurled from the mouth of the Courrieres mine. Men and horses near by outside the mine were either stunned or killed. The roof of the

military guard. 400 soldiers having arrived there to assist in holding in check the crowds of distracted mourners. For a time hope had been held out to the people that tappings on pipes by the imprisoned men 'ad been heard. but gradually this hope vanished, and the people demanded admission to see the bodies, and even threatened to break through the corden of troops, who had the greatest difficulty in keeping the crowds from the pit. One man named Sylvestre succeeded in entering the mine, but he never returned. It is believed that he groped about inside until he was overcome by the gases and perished.

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